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Note by the Administrator

1. The Governing Council, in paragraph 5 of its decision 90/45 of 22 June 1990, welcomed the intention of the Administrator to engage an independent external consulting firm to make substantive recommendations on the future senior management structure of the United Nations Development Programme and to submit them, with his comments, for consideration at the thirty-eighth session (1991).

2. Following this decision, the firm of Kienbaum & Partners, international management consultants, was engaged to carry out the study.

3. The attached report, entitled A strategy-based senior management structure for the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP), has been prepared by the consulting firm, and is hereby circulated to the Council.

4. The Administrator's own comments on this report, also requested by the Governing Council in paragraph 5 of decision 90/45, are contained in document DP/1991/51.

5. In accordance with paragraph 7 of decision 90/45, informal consultations will take place with members, before the thirty-eighth session, on the report of the external consultants.

A Strategy-Based Senior Management Structure for the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP)

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